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Reply to Restriction Requirement of September 23, 2003

REMARKS

Based on the election set forth above, the applicants respectfully request examination on the merits. Should the Examiner feel that any of the elected claims not read on the species elected, the Examiner is invited to call the applicants' attorney to discuss the restriction.

No fee is believed to be due for this submission. However, should a fee or any other required fees be due, please charge them to the Acushnet Company Deposit Account No. 502309.

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